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October 4, 2006

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station, Second Floor
Boston, MA 02110

Re: *Western Massachusetts Electric Company, D.T.E. 06-73*

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

On August 31, 2006, Western Massachusetts Electric Company ("WMECO") filed with the Department of Telecommunications and Energy ("Department") a request for approval of a Clean Energy Choice®/Power of Green contract between WMECO and the Massachusetts Technology Park Corporation ("MTPC"). The Department docketed this matter as D.T.E. 06-73. Please be advised that WMECO hereby withdraws its request for approval of this contract. WMECO expects to make any needed revisions to this contract and refile the revised contract with the Department in the near future. Please contact me should you have any questions in this regard.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Stephen Klionsky

cc: Shaela McNulty Collins
Martha Broad
Matthew Schemmel
Joseph W. Rogers.
Alexander Cochis
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